

HOUSE RESOLUTION 146
By Stanley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kevin Charles Peterson,
2003 Salutatorian of St. Benedict at Auburndale.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through, their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kevin Charles Peterson is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2003 graduating class at St. Benedict at Auburndale; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kevin Peterson has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Kevin has earned an exemplary 4.5 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; he plans to attend Virginia Polytechnic Institute in the fall; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young man, Kevin is a member of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Spanish National Honor Society, and is an invaluable member of the soccer, track and field, and cross-country teams; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Kevin is also an Eagle Scout and a National Merit Commended Scholar; and

WHEREAS, a deeply spiritual young man, Kevin is actively involved with his youth group at St. Ann Church and volunteers his time for many different religious, leadership, and community service projects; and

WHEREAS, Kevin Peterson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Charlie and Sally Peterson, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 St. Benedict at Auburndale Salutatorian, Kevin Charles Peterson, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.